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SUBJECT: PRESS STATEMENT FOR UNDER SEC SISCO - CNO HOLLOWAY VISIT

REF: (A) REYKJAVIK 1576; (B) STATE 259281

1. FON MIN AND I HAVE AGREED ON MONDAY DECEMBER 2ND NOON
WASHINGTON TIME AS SUITABLE DATE FOR RELEASE OF PRESS STATEMENT
AS WORDED REFTEL (A). THE EARLIEST IT WILL BE HEARD ON ICELANDIC
MEDIA WILL BE THE 7 PM RADIO NEWS (2 PM WASHINGTON TIME) AND
WILL APPEAR IN DEC. 3 LOCAL MORNING NEWSPAPERS.

2. FYI, BY DELAYING RELEASE UNTIL AFTER THE DECEMBER FIRST
COMMUNIST-INSPIRED STUDENT ANTI-NATO AND ANTI-US MILITARY
RALLIES WE DENY THEM OPPORTUNITY TO USE NEWS OF VISIT FOR
PROPAGANDA PURPOSES.

3. FYI, ON TUESDAY AFTERNOON DEC. 3 FON MIN INTENDS TO RELEASE
IDF AGREEMENT PAPERS TO PARLIAMENT AND THUS MAKE PUBLIC. THIS
WILL INITIATE PARLIAMENTARY DEBATE ON DEFENSE ISSUE WHICH WILL
PROBABLY LAST FEW DAYS. RELEASE OF NEWS OF VISIT WILL FIT WELL
INTO THIS ATMOSPHERE FROM OUR POINT OF VIEW AND COULD OPEN UP
OPPORTUNITY FOR ADMIRAL HOLLOWAY TO TALK ABOUT MILITARY SITUATION
NORTH ATLANTIC, ETC.

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